

STATE OF UTAH STATE RECORDS COMMITTEE FY 2017

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This report is a summary of the notice of appeals filed, decisions and orders, participants, and appeals status. From July 01, 2016 to June 30, 2017, the Committee received 116 notices and executed 50 decisions and orders. Unlike in 2016, the Committee is not experiencing the same amount of backlog. Many factors exist but this reduction in backlog seems to be driven by the very successful mediation program offered by the government records ombudsman.

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Introduction

Thank You to the Records Officers!

It has taken three years, but on January 1, 2017, the Utah State Archives transparency team finished the 2014 Legislative initiative to have all 932 governmental entities listed on the [Utah Open Records Portal](#). The portal provides the public with a central location to submit a Government Records Access and Management Act (GRAMA) request to any government agency in the state of Utah. This law has affected and created new duties for the government agencies that often go unnoticed and unappreciated. In 2016, the public through the portal submitted over 1000 GRAMA requests and that does not take in account the requests submitted by other means such as email, or in the case of the Department of Corrections it processes hundreds of weekly internal records requests from just inmates. The State Archives believes it is important to recognize the hard work of the records officers who are diligently responding to GRAMA requests and strive to comply and increase government transparency. Through their diligence and hard work, only a small percentage of the records requests actually come before the Committee on appeal. The State Archives, on behalf of the Committee members, wishes to extend a thank you for all the effort it is very much appreciated.

Committee Members



The following individuals served on the Committee in 2017. From left to right: Holly Richardson, Chad Lambourne, Doug Misner, David Fleming, Patricia Smith-Mansfield, Tom Haraldsen, and Cindi Mansell. To find out more about the board members, the appointments, and vacancies go to the Utah.gov website.

Litigation



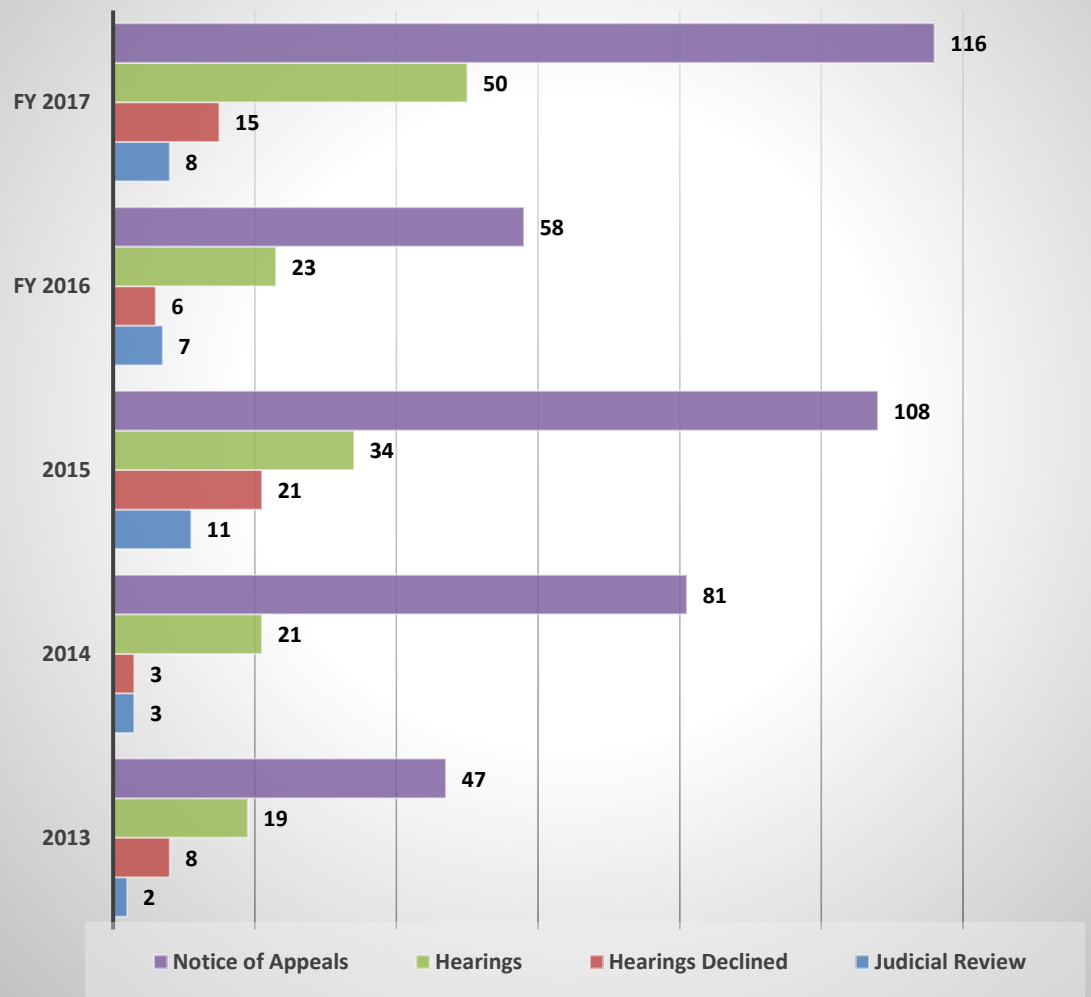
In addition to hearing appeals, the state records committee is actively involved in appellate litigation surrounding GRAMA. Any party who disputes the committee's order may petition for judicial review to the District Court. In 2017, eight new judicial reviews were petitioned, and there are numerous appeals still active from 2016. The committee's legal counsel has been the voice for the committee by filing briefs, conducting oral arguments, and attending hearings.

<u>DISTRICT COURT CASES</u>		<u>Status</u>
Case No. 140600023	<i>William Sherratt v. Utah Department of Corrects, and the Utah State Records Committee</i> filed April 2014, Sixth District Court	
Case No. 150701062	<i>Roger Bryner v. City of Clearfield</i> , filed October 20, 2015, Second District Court	December 15, 2016, Court found the Appellant to be a vexatious litigant. State Records Committee decision 15-27 . State Records Committee decision Case No. 15-27 upheld by the court.
Case No. 150901160	<i>Department of Human Resource Management v. Paul Amann</i> , filed February 19, 2015, Third District Court	Third District Court provided a final judgement on Case No. 150901160AA, consolidated with Case No. 150904275AA, the State Records Committee decision Case Nos. 15-16 and 15-28 overturned.
Case No. 150904266	<i>Utah Attorney General's Office v. Salt Lake Tribune</i> , filed June 24, 2015, Third District Court	
Case No. 150904275	<i>Paul Amann v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management</i> , filed June 24, 2015, Third District Court	Third District Court provided a final judgement on Case No. 150901160AA, consolidated with Case No. 150904275AA, the State Records

		Committee decision Case Nos. 15-16 and 15-28 overturned.
Case No. 150903610	<i>Robert Baker v. Utah Department of Corrections, and State Records Committee</i> , filed November 2015, Third District Court	
Case No. 150401904	<i>Ramon Somoza v. Utah County Commission and Utah County Attorney</i> , filed December 10, 2015, Fourth District Court	Dismissed on April 18, 2017, Petitioner appealing decision.
Case No. 150904273	<i>Swen Heimberg v. Utah Department of Public Safety, and the Utah State Records Committee</i> , filed December 17, 2015, Third District Court	Proposed protective order for disclosure of documents filed with the Court. State Records Committee decision Case No. 15-15
Case No. 150909012	<i>Utah Department of Corrections v. John Rice</i> , filed January 21, 2016, Third District Court	State Records Committee decision Case No. 15-32 overturned by the court.
Case No. 160907299	<i>Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City</i> , Third District Court	State Records Committee decision Case No. 15-27 upheld by the court.
Case No. 160906562	<i>Roger Bryner v. Utah Attorney General's Office et. al.</i> , filed October 26, 2016, Third District Court	State Records Committee decision Case No. 15-27 upheld by the court.
Case No. 160903793	<i>Roger Bryner v. Utah State Records Committee</i> , filed June 15, 2016, Third District Court, Utah Court of Appeals Case No. 20160870-CA	
Case No. 160903244	<i>Roger Bryner v. Utah Department of Health et. al.</i> , filed May 23, 2016, Third District Court	
Case No. 160903298	<i>Edgardo Mata v. Utah Department of Corrections</i> , filed May 24, 2016, Third District Court	
Case No. 160903910	<i>Bryan Thatcher v. Utah Department of Public Safety, and the State Records Committee</i> , filed June 20, 2016, Third District Court	
Case No. 160904365	<i>The Salt Lake Tribune and its reporter, Matthew Piper v. Utah State Records Committee</i> filed July 12, 2016, Third District Court	Brigham Young University joined the appeal.
Case No. 160905336	<i>Utah Legal Clinic v. Salt Lake City Corporation, and State Records Committee</i> , filed August 25, 2016, Third District Court	State Records Committee decision Case No. 16-20 upheld by the court.
Case No. 170500006	<i>Heber City Corporation v. David Larsen, and State Records Committee</i> , filed January 2017, Fourth District Court	
Case No. 170400075	<i>Utah County v. PCH Tribune, LLC dba Salt Lake Tribune and State Records Committee</i> , filed January 18, 2017, Fourth District Court	

Case No. 170400077	<i>Pleasant Grove City v. Lori Williams and State Records Committee</i> , filed January 18, 2017, Fourth District Court			Dismissed March 2017. State Records Committee decision Case No. 16-48
Case No. 170901815	<i>Alex Stuckey, Salt Lake Tribune v. Utah State University</i> filed March 21, 2017, Third District Court			
Case No. 170901930	<i>Utah Attorney General's Office v. Paul Amann</i> , filed March 23, 2017, Third District Court			
Case No. 170903373	<i>Edward Berkovich v. State Records Committee and Millard County</i> , filed May 24, 2017, Third District Court			
<u>APPELLATE COURT CASES</u>				
Case No. 20160098	<i>Salt Lake City v. Jordan Rivers Restoration Network</i> , Utah Court of Appeals			State Records Committee decision Case No. 10-14
Case No. 20170362	<i>Utah Legal Clinic v. Salt Lake City Corp</i> , Utah Court of Appeals			State Records Committee decision Case No. 16-23

Five-Year History Filed Notice of Appeals

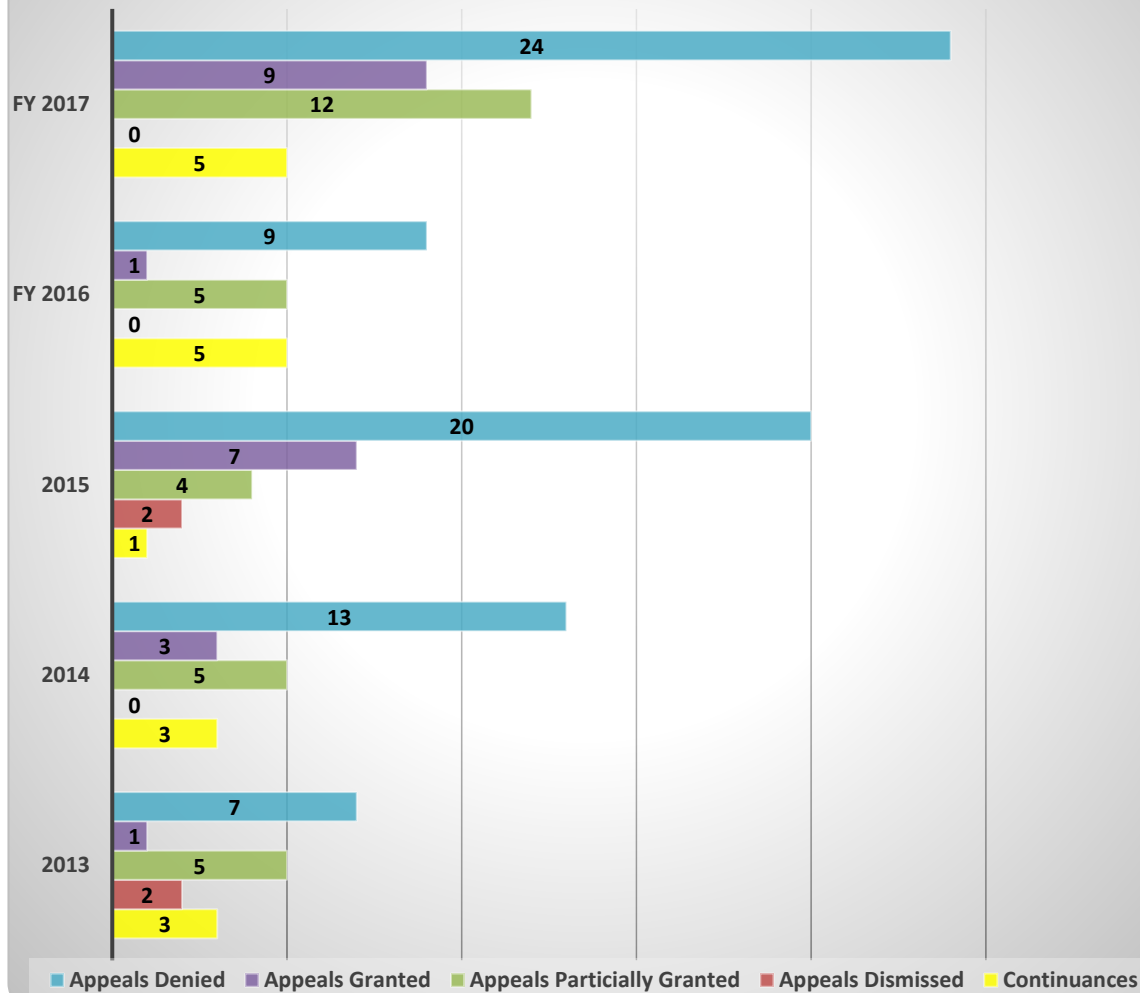


Judicial reviews increased mainly due to the governmental entities disputing the committee's decisions and orders.

However, in a twist of events, the committee declined to hear *Salt Lake Tribune v. Brigham Young Police Department* because it determined that the police department was not a governmental entity as defined by GRAMA.

The *Salt Lake Tribune* appealed the decision to Third District Court and now it is in the hands of the judge to determine whether the police department is subject to GRAMA. *Salt Lake Tribune v. Utah State Records Committee*, Case No. 160904365, Third District Court.

Five-Year History Decisions and Orders

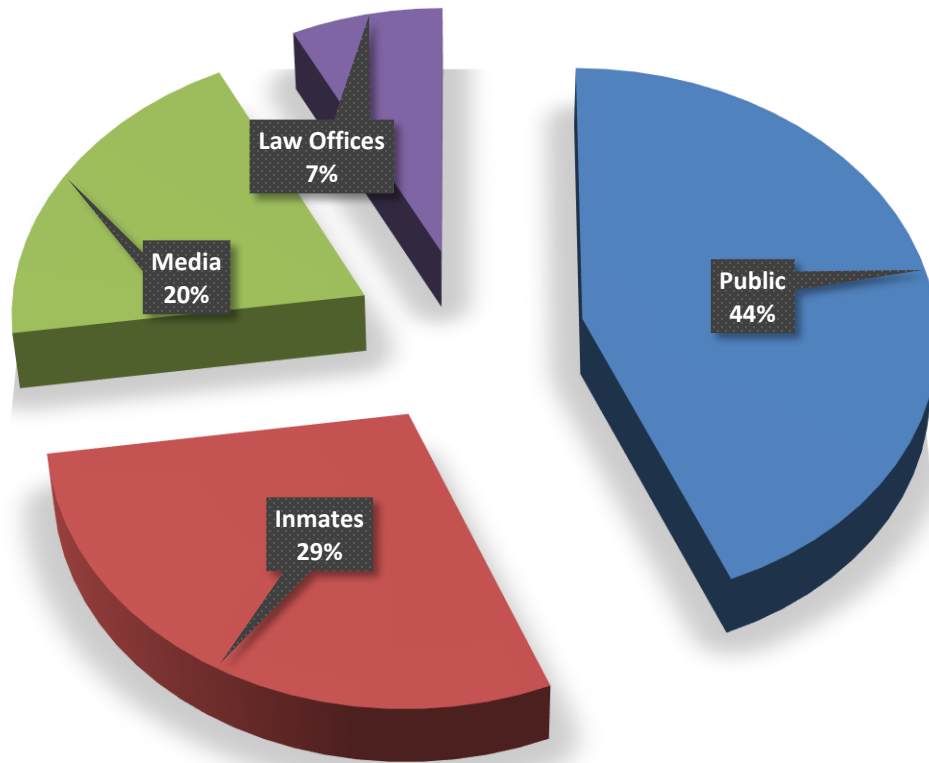


In FY 2017, continuances were not as prevalent although the *in camera* records reviews were just as voluminous and consumed the committee's time reviewing to determine if the governmental entity properly classified the records.

Decisions and orders can be grouped into five categories: granted, partially granted, denied, dismissed (moot), and continuance. The three most common reasons for a denial are as follows:

- Records do not exist.
- Governmental entity properly classified the records.
- Fee waiver denial found to be reasonable.

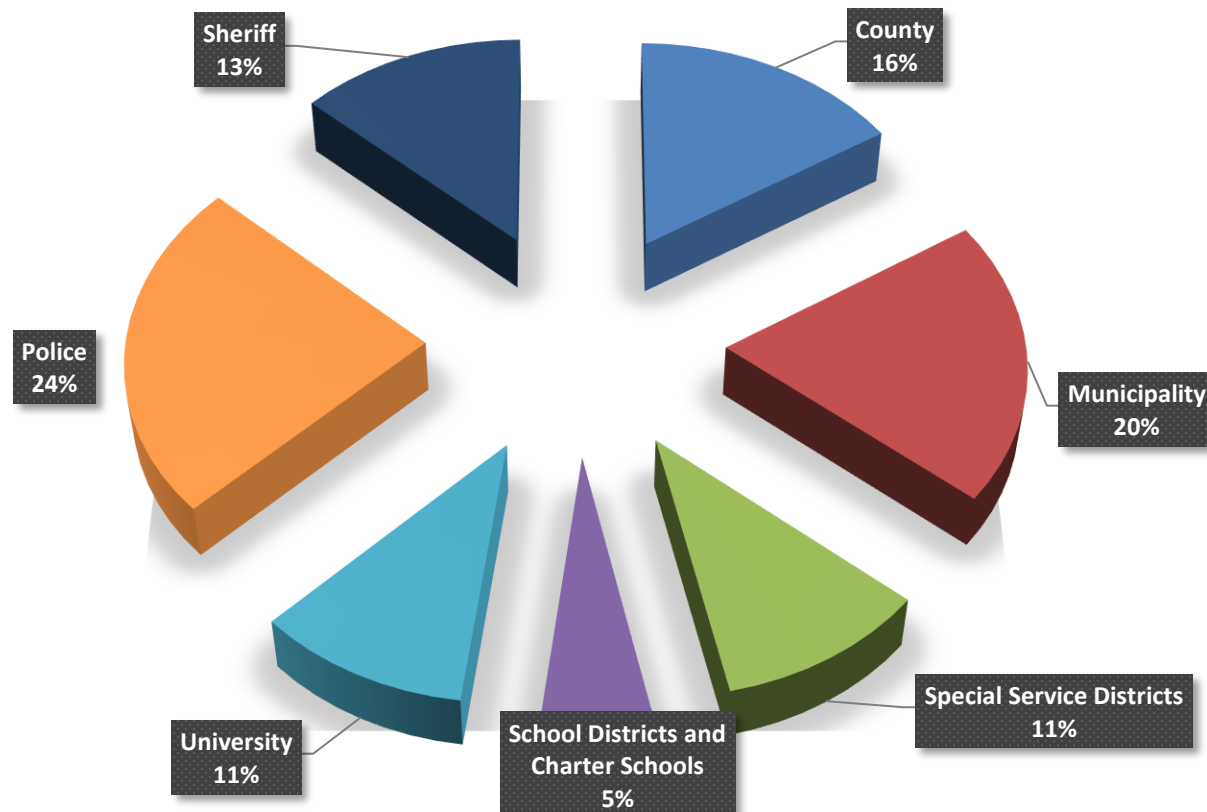
Demographics of Requesters



In response to the high percentage of inmate requests, the Utah 2017 Legislative passed [Senate Bill 242](#) a provision in the law that governmental entities are not required to provide records or respond to a records request from an individual who is incarcerated following their conviction. However, the provision does not apply to the first five requests submitted to an agency in a calendar year for records specific to the incarcerated individual. Additionally, this provision does not apply to an attorney filing records request on behalf of the incarcerated. Despite the stricter provision, the incarcerated individuals maintain the right to appeal the government's denial or failure to respond.

Appeals Involving Local Agencies

Among local agencies, municipal governments (cities and towns) were involved in 20% of the appeals. That percentage increases to 44% if local police departments are included. Counties to, include Sheriff's Offices, were involved in 29% of local agency appeals followed by special service, local, and interlocal districts at 11%.



Reported Categories	Quantity	Government Entities and Political Subdivisions with the most filed Appeals	Quantity
Notice of Appeals FY 2017	116	State Agencies	
Appeals withdrawn	39	Utah Department of Corrections	16
Incomplete Appeals	16	Utah Attorney General's Office	11
Duplicate	1	Universities	8
Scheduled Appeals	16	Local Government	
Combined Appeals	8	Counties	23
Judicial review	8	Cities, Towns, Municipalities	28
Hearings declined	15		
Decisions and Orders	50	Special Service, Local, and Interlocal Districts	
Continuances	5	Utah Transit Authority	8
Appeals Granted	9		
Appeals Granted in part and Denied in part	12		
Appeals Denied	24		

Notice of Appeals Filed

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Decisions and Orders Case Nos. (Appeals Request No.)	Case Title/ Participants	Ruling/Action	Appeal Status
(2016-08a)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-28</u> (2016-17a & 2016-50)	Patrick Sullivan v. University of Utah, Medical Center	Appeal denied (Continuance)	Combined with appeal 2016-50
<u>16-26</u> (2016-22)	Roger Bryner v. Utah Department of Health	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905248
<u>16-27</u> (2016-26)	Roger Bryner v. Utah Department of Technology Services (DTS)	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905248
<u>16-23</u> (2016-29a)	Angela H. Elmore, on behalf of Trenton Mellon v. Salt Lake City Corporation	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905336
(2016-31)	Alba and Noemi Cruz v. Utah Department of Human Services, Division of Aging and Adult Services	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-25</u> (2016-35)	Daniel Ortiz v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
<u>16-24</u> (2016-37)	Mark Allen, on behalf of Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon v. Utah County	Appeal granted	
(2016-38)	Clarence Branch v. Davis County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-34</u> (2016-42)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
<u>16-29</u>	Kevin R. Berry v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	

(2016-43)			
<u>16-31</u> (2016-45)	Michael Clára v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Continuance	
<u>16-33</u> (2016-45a)	Michael Clára v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Granted in part and denied in part	
(2016-46)	Jason Jensen, behalf of Lewine Mary Tapia v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-28</u> (2016-50 & 2016-17a)	Patrick Sullivan v. University of Utah, Medical Center	Appeal denied	Combined with appeal 2016-17a
<u>16-32</u> (2016-51 & 2016-60)	Harshad P. Desai v. Panguitch City	Appeal denied	Combined with appeal 2016-60
(2016-52)	Harshad P. Desai v. Garfield County	Incomplete	
<u>16-30</u> (2016-53)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections	Appeal denied	
<u>16-35</u> (2016-54)	Marian Seamons v. Ticaboo Utility Improvement District	Appeal denied	
<u>16-40</u> (2016-56)	James J. Duran v. Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services	Continuance	
<u>16-45</u> (2016-56a)	James J. Duran v. Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services	Appeal denied	
(2016-57)	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Ogden City Police Department	Incomplete	
(2016-58)	Harshad P Desai v. Utah Tax Commission	Incomplete	
(2016-59)	Pedro Espejel v. Utah Department of Public Safety	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-32</u> (2016-60 & 2016-51)	Harshad P. Desai v. Panguitch City	Appeal denied	Combined with appeal 2016-51
(2016-61)	Chad Lambourne v. Southern Utah University Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-62)	Donald Ashmore v. Utah Board of Pardons and Parole	Incomplete	
<u>16-36</u> (2016-63)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Orem City Police Department	Granted in part and denied in part	Combined with appeal 2016-63

<u>16-36</u> (2016-64)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Provo City Police Department	Granted in part and denied in part	Combined with appeal 2016-64
<u>16-38</u> (2016-65)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Continuance	
<u>16-39</u> (2016-65a)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Continuance	
<u>16-44</u> (2016-65b)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court
<u>16-37</u> (2016-66)	Helen Redd v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
(2016-67)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-68)	Carl G. Lee v. Utah Department of Commerce	Incomplete	
(2016-69)	Brent Poll v. Davis County Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-70)	Susan Mathiesen v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Investigations (BCI)	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-42</u> (2016-71)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Appeal denied	
<u>16-41</u> (2016-72)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Cedar City Police Department	Appeal granted	
(2016-73)	Nicole Vowell, KSL 5 TV v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-74)	Advanced Lighting Illuminating Solutions v. Park City School District	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-75)	Jack Brown v. Washington County Attorney's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-76)	Robert R. Baker v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
<u>16-47</u> (2016-77)	Richard Wilson, SIPRUT v. Utah Tax Commission	Appeal denied	
<u>16-43</u> (2016-78)	Tracy Taylor v. Wasatch County School District	Granted in part and denied in part	

(2016-79)	Schatz, Anderson & Associates v. Washington County Sheriff's Office (WCSO)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-80)	Helen Redd v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Hearing declined	
<u>16-46</u> (2016-81)	Paul Wach v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court
(2016-82)	Jane Whalen v. City of St. George	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-83)	Matthew Hilton v. Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS)	Incomplete	
(2016-84)	Lee Davidson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>16-48</u> (2016-85)	Lori Williams v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal granted	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170400077
<u>16-49</u> (2016-86)	Nate Carlisle, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah County Sheriff's Office	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170400075
(2016-87)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-88)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. North Park Police Department	Hearing declined	
<u>16-50</u> (2016-89)	Eric Peterson, <i>Utah Investigative Journalism Project</i> v. Utah Department of Health	Appeal denied	
(2016-90)	Roger Bryner v. City of Clinton	Hearing declined	
(2016-91)	Roger Bryner v. City of Syracuse	Hearing declined	
(2016-92)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-93)	Mark Kimball v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
(2016-94)	Ozward Balfour v. Salt Lake County District Attorney	Incomplete	
(2016-95)	Richard Jorgensen v. South Salt Lake Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-96)	Paul Wach v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Duplicate appeal	Duplicate to (2016-81)
<u>16-51</u> (2016-97)	David Larsen v. Heber City	Appeal granted	Appealed to District Court Case No. 170500006
(2016-98)	Scott Gollaher v. Morgan County Attorney's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-99)	Michael Christiansen, attorney for the estate of Tyler Christianson v. Roy City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-100)	Steven Young v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	

<u>17-01</u> (2016-101)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Continuance	
<u>17-04</u> (2016-101a)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court. Case No. 170901815
<u>17-02</u> (2016-102)	ACLU v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal granted	
(2016-103)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
(2016-104)	Brent Poll v. Davis County	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-03</u> (2016-105)	Earl Kalashnikov v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal granted	
(2016-106)	Dianna Schaeffer v. Logan City School District	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-107)	Patrick Sullivan v. American Fork Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
(2016-108)	Richard Jorgensen (Schatz, Anderson & Associates) v. Garfield County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-05</u> (2016-109)	Karl Davis, on behalf of Shore Lodge Estates v. Garden City	Granted in part and denied in part	
<u>17-06</u> (2016-110)	Paul Amann v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Granted in part and denied in part	
<u>17-07</u> (2016-111)	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
(2017-01)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-02)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Sentencing Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-11</u> (2017-03)	Britt Miller v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Appeal granted	
(2017-04)	Nate Carlisle, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Weber County Sheriff's Office (WCSO)	Hearing declined	
<u>17-09</u> (2017-05)	Jennifer Baptista v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal denied	
<u>17-08</u> (2017-06)	Terry Mitchell v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
(2017-07)	Brad Smith v. Duchesne County Sheriff's Office (DCSO)	Incomplete	

(2017-08)	Jennifer Baptista v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-09)	Steven Onysko v. Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-10)	Randy Andrus, Andrus Law Firm v. Unified Police Department		Hearing rescheduled July 13, 2017
(2017-11)	Eric Peterson, <i>Utah Investigative Journalism Project</i> v. Utah Labor Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-12</u> (2017-12)	Libertas Institute v. Utah Tax Commission	Granted in part and denied in part	
<u>17-10</u> (2017-13)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
<u>17-13</u> (2017-14)	Nick Schou, Utah River Council v. Utah Department of Natural Resources, Division of Water Resources	Appeal granted	
(2017-15)	Daniel Muñoz v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Incomplete	
<u>17-14</u> (2017-16)	Robert Baker v. Board of Pardons and Parole	Appeal denied	
(2017-17)	Brent Taylor v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Incomplete	
(2017-18)	Patrick Sullivan v. Department of Administrative Services, Division of Purchasing and General Services	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-19)	Taylor Anderson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Weber County Sheriff's Office	Incomplete	
(2017-20)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Governor's Office	Hearing declined	
(2017-21)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. University of Utah, Department of Public Safety	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-22)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-23)	Carl G. Lee, Sr. v. University of Utah, Medical Clinic	Incomplete	
(2017-24)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
(2017-25)	Lynn Bascom v. Davis County Attorney's Office	Hearing declined	
<u>17-15</u> (2017-26)	Rich Jorgensen, Schatz Anderson & Associates v. Washington County Sheriff's Office	Granted in part and denied in part	
(2017-27)	Eric Peterson, <i>Utah Investigative Journalism Project</i> v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-16</u> (2017-28)	Edward Berkovich v. Millard County Attorney's Office	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170903373

(2017-29)	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Davis County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-17</u> (2017-30)	Paul Amann v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
(2017-31)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-18</u> (2017-32)	George Chapman v. Salt Lake City Corporation	Appeal denied	
(2017-33)	Edward Berkovich v. Utah Attorney General's Office, Utah Prosecution Council	Hearing declined	
(2017-34)	Brad Rodu v. University of Utah	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-35)	David Larsen v. Heber City Police Department		Hearing scheduled September 14, 2017
<u>17-19</u> (2017-36)	Steven Onysko v. Jordanelle Special Service District (JSSD)	Appeal granted	
(2017-37)	Lance Rolph v. Utah Department of Human Services, Office of Recovery Services		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
(2017-38)	Jeffery Burt v. Sandy Police Department		Hearing rescheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-39)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Unified Police Greater Salt Lake	Appeal withdrawn	
<u>17-20</u> (2017-40)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Combined with appeal 2017-43
(2017-41)	Louis Malek v. University of Utah, Medical Center	Hearing declined	
(2017-42)	Pedro Gutierrez v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Forensics	Incomplete	
<u>17-20</u> (2017-43)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Combined with appeal 2017-40
(2017-44)	Chad Bennion v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-45)	Paul Waldron v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Utah Highway Patrol		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
<u>17-21</u> (2017-46)	Paul Amann v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Continuance	
(2017-46a)	Paul Amann v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017

(2017-47)	Michael Clára, Crossroads Urban Center v. Salt Lake City Corporation	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-48)	Adam Bass v. Wasatch County		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-49)	Edgardo Mata v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
(2017-50)	Anna Burleson, <i>Standard Examiner</i> v. Box Elder School District		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
(2017-51)	Aaron Lebenta, Clyde Snow & Sessions, Attorney for Cargill Incorporation v. Utah County & Weber County Attorney's Office	Incomplete	
(2017-52)	Lynn Bascom v. David County Attorney's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
(2017-53)	Taylor Anderson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)		Hearing rescheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-54)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
(2017-55)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Technology Services	Hearing declined	
(2017-56)	Matt Winters v. West Jordan City Police Department		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-57)	Mountain Crane v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-58)	Ozward Balfour v. Utah Department of Public Safety		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
(2017-59)	Proletariat Watch (Kelly James) v. Gunnison Valley Hospital Special Service District	Incomplete	
(2017-60)	Richard Norman Stein v. Ogden City Police Department	Incomplete	
(2017-61)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017

Decisions and Orders

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Decisions & Orders Nos. (Appeals Request No.)	Case Title/ Participants	Records Sought	Ruling	Appeal Status
<u>16-23</u> (2016-29a)	Utah Legal Clinic, on behalf of Trenton Mellen v. Salt Lake City Corporation		Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905336
Appealing Salt Lake City Corporation's classification of emails, collection methods and results, pertaining to her client's case.				
<u>16-24</u> (2016-37)	Mark Allen v. Utah County Commission		Appeal granted	
Mr. Allen, on behalf of Protect and Preserve American Fork Canyon, is appealing access denial to government employee emails.				
<u>16-25</u> (2016-35)	Daniel Ortiz v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Appeal denied	
Appealing a fee waiver denial for all Incident Reports regarding him from July 2015-February 2016.				
<u>16-26</u> (2016-22)	Roger Bryner v. Utah Department of Health		Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905248
Appealing a fee waiver and access denial to database summary.				
<u>16-27</u> (2016-26)	Roger Bryner v. Utah Department of Technology Services (DTS)		Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 160905248

Appealing a fee waiver and access denial to database summary.			
<u>16-28</u> (2016-17 & 50)	Patrick Sullivan v. University of Utah, Medical Center	Appeal denied	
Appealing a fee waiver and access denial to emails and names of all orthopedic surgeons/residents who worked the Prison Telemed Clinic on September 22, 2014.			
<u>16-29</u> (2016-43)	Kevin Berry v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
Appealing partial access denial to his psychological evaluations, all medications prescribed, housing units staff comments, clinical evaluations, therapists comments and notes, and the Attorney General's Office communications to UDC staff members from June 1992 to February 2016.			
<u>16-30</u> (2016-53)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
Appealing redactions to records classified private and protected.			
<u>16-31</u> (2016-45)	Michael Clára v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Continuance	
Appealing a fee waiver and records access denial. The hearing is CONTINUED until the next regularly scheduled Committee hearing to allow the Committee members to review the disputed records <i>in camera</i> .			
<u>16-32</u> (2016-51 & 60)	Harshad P. Desai v. Panguitch City	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to public official's education and experience. In addition, Mr. Desai is appealing access denial to a record that the City does not maintain regarding "total population of Panguitch area in 30 mile radius."			
<u>16-33</u> (2016-45)	Michael Clára v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Granted in part and denied in part	Continuance
Appealing a fee waiver and records access denial.			
<u>16-34</u> (2016-42)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	

Appealing the claim of extraordinary circumstance and the time frame UDC has implemented to complete the request and subsequent requests.			
<u>16-35</u> (2016-54)	Marian Seamons v. Ticaboo Utility Improvement District	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to records from Ticaboo Utility Improvement Districts.			
<u>16-36</u> (2016-63 & 64)	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Orem City Police Department and Provo City Police Department	Granted in part and denied in part	
The <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> is appeal access denial to the Spillman Case Access Logs for any sexual-related criminal investigation by Orem Police Department and Provo Police Department that was accessed by any employee of Brigham Young University, including its police department, from January 2010 to present.			
<u>16-37</u> (2016-66)	Helen Redd v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
Appealing the Attorney General's claim of extraordinary circumstances.			
<u>16-38</u> (2016-65)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Continuance	Appealed to District Court
Appealing multiple records access denials ranging from fax logs to emails correspondences from June 2015-present.			
<u>16-39</u> (2016-65a)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Continuance	Appealed to District Court
The hearing is CONTINUED to the next available hearing date.			
<u>16-40</u> (2016-56)	James J. Duran v. Utah Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services	Continuance	
The hearing is CONTINUED to the next available hearing date.			
<u>16-41</u> (2016-72)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Cedar City Police Department	Appeal granted	
Appealing access denial to police reports or investigation records that mention a specific perpetrator from 2010 to present.			
<u>16-42</u>	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Appeal denied	

(2016-71)			
Appealing access denial to all correspondence mentioning Torrey Green from 2009 to present among specified staff and police departments.			
<u>16-43</u> (2016-78)	Tracy Taylor v. Wasatch County School District	Granted in part and denied in part	
Appealing the District's decision to deny access to records concerning the hiring process for a new superintendent.			
<u>16-44</u> (2016-65)	Roger Bryner v. Clearfield City	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court
Appealing multiple records access denials ranging from fax logs to emails correspondences from June 2015-present.			
<u>16-45</u> (2016-56)	James J. Duran v. Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to an Incident Report and photographs from Millcreek Youth Center.			
<u>16-46</u> (2016-81)	Paul Wach v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	Appealed to District Court
Appealing access denial to his "Cautions" record.			
<u>16-47</u> (2016-77)	Richard Wilson, SIPRUT v. Utah Tax Commission	Appeal denied	
Appealing the Tax Commission's responsiveness for records relating to Intuit/Turbo Tax fraudulent filing.			
<u>16-48</u> (2016-85)	Lori Williams v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal granted	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170400077
Appealing access denial to Pleasant Grove Strawberry Days Committee ledgers, financial and accounting records, expenses, sponsorships, donations, contributions, sales, and income for 2014-2016.			

<u>16-49</u> (2016-86)	Nate Carlisle, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah County Sheriff's Office	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170400075
Appealing partial access denial to records pertaining to a Utah County Sheriff's Deputy.			
<u>16-50</u> (2016-89)	Eric Peterson v. Utah Department of Health	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to information on prescription drug overdoses, specifically the "Report on Prescriptions Found With Body" form, excluding the name of the deceased individual.			
<u>16-51</u> (2016-97)	David Larsen v. Heber City Police Department	Appeal granted	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170500006
Appealing access denial to an Officer's personnel file containing disciplinary actions.			
<u>17-01</u> (2016-101)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Continuance	
Appealing access denial to inquiries and reports stemming from an August 24, 2016 news release. The hearing is CONTINUED to a later date to allow the Committee to properly review the disputed records.			
<u>17-02</u> (2016-102)	ACLU v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal granted	
Appealing access denial to body camera footage related to a shooting incident on February 28, 2016, in the Rio Grande area.			
<u>17-03</u> (2016-105)	Earl Kalashnikov v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal granted	
Appealing access denial to body camera footage related to a shooting incident on February 28, 2016, in the Rio Grande area.			
<u>17-04</u> (2016-101a)	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah State University	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170901815
Appealing access denial to inquiries and reports stemming from an August 24, 2016, news release.			

<u>17-05</u> (2016-109)	Karl Davis, on behalf of Shore Lodge Estates HOA v. Garden City	Granted in part and denied in part	
Appealing a fee waiver and access denial to records relative to the City's proposed eminent domain action.			
<u>17-06</u> (2016-110)	Paul Amann v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Granted in part and denied in part	
As the subject of the records, Mr. Amann is appealing access denial to communications, various documentations, and logs.			
<u>17-07</u> (2016-111)	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to audio and video surveillance in three cases that occurred October 31, 2016, and November 2-4, 2016.			
<u>17-08</u> (2017-06)	Terry Mitchell v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
As the subject of the records, Ms. Mitchell is appealing access denial to communications and various documentations and reports.			
<u>17-09</u> (2017-05)	Jennifer Baptista v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal denied	
Appealing partial access denial to draft and pending minutes prior to review.			
<u>17-10</u> (2017-13)	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal denied	
Appealing the denial of the list of page one of all UDC audits from 2007 to present.			
<u>17-11</u> (2017-03)	Britt Miller v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Appeal granted	
Appealing the access denial to "all materials and information provided by Labor Relations Institute."			

<u>17-12</u> (2017-12)	Libertas Institute v. Utah Tax Commission	Granted in part and denied in part	
Appealing access denial to a “copy of the sales tax agreement made between the Tax Commission and Amazon pursuant to Amazon’s collection and remittance of sales tax for Utah Consumers.”			
<u>17-13</u> (2017-14)	Nick Schou, Utah Rivers Council v. Utah Department of Natural Resources, Division of Water Resources	Appeal granted	
The Utah River Council is appealing access denial to “Division’s raw water use data and 2015 water use data summaries.”			
<u>17-14</u> (2017-16)	Robert Baker v. Board of Pardons and Parole	Appeal denied	
Appealing a fee waiver denial and claim of extraordinary circumstances.			
<u>17-15</u> (2017-26)	Rich Jorgensen, Schatz Anderson and Associates, on behalf of Andrew Becker v. Washington County Sheriff’s Office	Granted in part and denied in part	
Appealing partial access denial to initial contact reports, audio and video from scene of incident, and from Purgatory Jail room.			
<u>17-16</u> (2017-28)	Edward Berkovich v. Millard County Attorney’s Office	Granted in part and denied in part	Appealed to District Court: Case No. 170903373
Appealing partial access denial to minutes taken during an emergency meeting of the Utah Prosecution Council (UPC) on October 21, 2015.			
<u>17-17</u> (2017-30)	Paul Amann v. Utah Attorney General’s Office (AGO)	Appeal denied	
As the subject of the records, he is appealing access denial to communications, various documentations, and logs.			
<u>17-18</u> (2017-32)	George Chapman v. Salt Lake City Corporation	Appeal denied	
Appealing access denial to “Closed Executive Session Meeting Minutes of SLC Council & RDA meetings that discussed homeless sites.”			

<u>17-19</u> (2017-36)	Steven Onysko v. Jordanelle Special Service District (JSSD)	Appeal granted	
Appealing redacted telephone records and phone bills.			
<u>17-20</u> (2017-40 & 43)	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Granted in part and denied in part	
Appealing partial access and fee waiver denial to “Medical Clearance Committee or Utilization Review Committee” employee member list.			
<u>17-21</u> (2017-46)	Paul Amann v. Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Continuance	
The hearing is CONTINUED to the next available hearing date.			

**Narratives of the
Appeals withdrawn, declined, incomplete, and scheduled**

Appeals Request No.	Case Title/ Participants	Records Sought	Action	Appeal Status
2016-08a	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Attorney General’s Office (AGO)		Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing the Attorney General’s Office decision to not search Google Vault for responsive emails to his GRAMA request. Continuance.				
2016-31	Alba & Noemi Cruz v. Utah Department of Human Services, Division of Aging and Adult Services		Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to a record that contains the referent’s name in the Division of Aging and Adult Services system.				
2016-38	Clarence Branch v. Davis County Sheriff’s Office		Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to records regarding Case No. 04-3542 and 04-5528.				
2016-46	Jason Jensen, behalf of Lewine Mary Tapia v. Salt Lake City Police Department		Appeal withdrawn	
Mr. Jensen, on behalf of the Tapia family, is appealing access denial to incident reports for a 1998 case.				
2016-52	Harshad P. Desai v. Garfield County		Incomplete	
Appealing access denial to public official’s education and work experience.				
2016-57	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Ogden City Police Department		Incomplete	
Appealing a partial denial for a supplemental report to an Initial Contact Report.				
2016-58	Harshad P. Desai v. Utah Tax Commission		Incomplete	
Appealing access denial to tax revenue records.				
2016-59	Roberto Hernandez, on behalf of Pedro Espejel v. Utah Department of Public Safety		Appeal withdrawn	
Mr. Hernandez, on behalf of his client, is appealing access denial to an accident report.				

2016-61	Chad Lambourne v. Southern Utah University (SUU) Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to investigative records.			
2016-62	Donald Ashmore v. Utah Board of Pardons and Parole	Incomplete	
Appealing access denial to photographs submitted to Board of Pardons and Parole.			
2016-67	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal withdrawn	
The <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> is appealing access denial to "[a]ll records, including search warrant affidavits, involving the criminal investigation of 46-year-old Chad Platt."			
2016-68	Carl G. Lee v. Utah Department of Commerce	Incomplete	
Appealing access denial of records.			
2016-69	Brent Poll v. Davis County Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to County records.			
2016-70	Susan Mathiesen v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Criminal Identification (BCI)	Appeal withdrawn	
Ms. Johnson, on behalf of Susan Mathiesen, is requesting Wilma Johnson Brown's Criminal History Records.			
2016-73	Nicole Vowell, KSL 5 TV v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to "[a]ll search warrant affidavits issued by the AGO and/or the internet Crimes Against Children taskforce involving Chad Platt, Salt Lake County Prosecutor."			
2016-74	Advanced Lighting Illuminating Solutions v. Park City School District	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to the District LED lighting upgrade project proposals, documentation of evaluation, and contract awarded.			
2016-75	Jack Brown v. Washington County Attorney's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing a fee waiver denial to receive records in paper form versus in CD format.			

2016-76	Robert Baker v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to letters that he provided to a staff member.			
2016-79	Schatz, Anderson & Associates v. Washington County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Schatz, Anderson & Associates are appealing access denial to multiple records (disciplinary actions, policies, training certificates).			
2016-80	Helen Redd v. Utah Attorney General's Office (AGO)	Hearing declined	
Appealing the Attorney General's Office for nonproduction of records.			
2016-82	Jane Whalen v. City of St. George	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial for Entrada Golf Course and Ledges Golf Course 2015 water usage records.			
2016-83	Matthew Hilton v. Department of Human Services, Division of Child and Family Services (DCFS)	Incomplete	
Mr. Hilton, on behalf of client, is appealing access denial to requested records.			
2016-84	Lee Davidson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to "current contracts or agreements with Labor Relations Institute (LRI) and/employee Rebecca Marie Smith, including showing amounts to be paid by UTA for their services."			
2016-87	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to "[c]opies of Spillman Case Access Logs of any employee of Brigham Young University, including its police department, who accessed any investigation by an outside police agency in the last 18 months."			
2016-88	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. North Park Police Department	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to police records based on the request did not meet specificity.			
2016-90	Roger Bryner v. City of Clinton	Hearing declined	
Appealing City's decision that the requested contract for all public defenders serving the Clinton Justice court does not exist.			

2016-91	Roger Bryner v. City of Syracuse	Hearing declined	
Appealing City's decision that the requested contract for all public defenders serving the Syracuse Justice court does not exist.			
2016-92	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to conflict of interest memorandums for government employees staffed at the UDC.			
2016-93	Mark Kimball v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to names of staff employees.			
2016-94	Ozward Balfour v. Salt Lake County District Attorney	Incomplete	
The Petitioner has not perfected the appeal process.			
2016-95	Richards Jorgensen v. South Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing the agency's claim of extraordinary circumstances to redact police camera video footage.			
2016-96	Paul Wach v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Duplicate appeal	
The Petitioner sent material that did not correspond with the initial Appeal Req. 2016-81; however, it was later determined that the additional material was to be evidence for Appeal Req. 2016-81.			
2016-98	Scott Gollaher v. Morgan County Attorney's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing the partial and incomplete response to his GRAMA request.			
2016-99	Michael Christiansen, Attorney for estate of Tyler Christianson v. Roy City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to "[p]olice reports and accident reports, including audio and video recordings, dash cam video, etc., and witness statements regarding automobile accident that occurred June 30, 2016 near 6000 South 3500 West, Roy, Utah."			
2016-100	Steven Young v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to his Housing Location History from 1999-present.			
2016-103	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
Appealing the decision by UDC that the sought record does not exist.			

2016-104	Brent Poll v. Davis County	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to records relating to the Davis County's witness testimony at the May 5, 2016, formal hearing before the Utah State Tax Commission			
2016-106	Dianna Schaeffer v. Logan City School District	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to records sought from the Logan City School District for "Ronald Schaeffer's [e]mployment records-including wage & benefit information, SSN, descriptions & terms of service, retirement information."			
2016-107	Patrick Sullivan v. American Fork Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing a fee waiver and access denial to phone bills for the months of June 2016 to present.			
2016-108	Richard Jorgensen (Schatz, Anderson & Associates) v. Garfield County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to police reports, chemical testing, an audio and video recordings that pertain to their client's arrest in 2016.			
2017-01	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing UDC's claim of extraordinary circumstances.			
2017-02	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Sentencing Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to 2015 Adult Sentencing and Release Guidelines Manual and all interactive forms.			
2017-04	Nate Carlisle, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Weber County Sheriff's Office	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to "recordings of all conversations Lyle Steed Jeffs...had via telephone or visitation systems while an inmate at the Weber County jail."			
2017-07	Brad Smith v. Duchesne County Sheriff's Office (DCSO)	Incomplete	
Appealing access denial to transaction history for his inmate funds account.			
2017-08	Jennifer Baptista v. Pleasant Grove City	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to communications from "June 20, 2016-June 27, 201[6]."			

2017-09	Steven Onysko v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to all documents that are related to the December 16, 2016, memo.			
2017-10	Randy Andrus, Andrus Law Firm v. Unified Police Department		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing access denial to all communications, records, and documents, which are, related to case # GO #SL 2016-178054.			
2017-11	Eric Peterson, <i>Utah Investigative Journalism Project</i> v. Utah Labor Commission	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to “record of workplace fatality and catastrophe investigations, where it was determined by OSHA that there was supposedly no public documents available because no reprimand or citation was administered.”			
2017-15	Daniel Muñoz v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Incomplete	
Petitioner requests assistance to obtain his gang affiliation file (STG file) and the process to clear his name.			
2017-17	Brent Taylor v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)	Incomplete	
The Petitioner has not perfected the appeal process.			
2017-18	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Administrative Services, Division of Purchasing and General Services	Appeal withdrawn	
Requesting the records in electronic format instead the governmental entity provided them in paper format.			
2017-19	Taylor Anderson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Weber County Sheriff’s Office	Incomplete	
The Petitioner has not perfected the appeal process.			

2017-20	Reginald Williams v. Utah Governors' Office	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to letters, emails or reports to or from Utah Attorney General and the Department of Corrections' Executive Director meeting with the prisoner in February 2016.			
2017-21	Alex Stuckey, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. University of Utah	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to "the full police report and investigation records for the alleged rape that occurred on Halloween 2016 in the Merrill Engineering Building parking lot."			
2017-22	Reginald Williams v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management (DHRM)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing the classification and denial to "administrative actions for each employee in DHRM's database."			
2017-23	Carl G. Lee, Sr., v. University of Utah, Medical Clinic	Incomplete	
Appealing access denial to medical records.			
2017-24	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to all video surveillance footage depicting an incident that took place on March 14, 2016, in the Oquirrh housing.			
2017-25	Lynn Bascom, Deseret First Insurance Agency v. Davis County Attorney's Office	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to the investigation report, findings, and summary reports for auto accident case 2013-000274, Bountiful and North Salt Lake Police Department.			
2017-27	Eric Peterson, <i>Utah Investigative Journalism Project</i> v. Salt Lake City Police Department	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial denial to files of the 1978 cold case investigation of the homicide of Anthony Adams.			
2017-29	Mark Shenefelt, <i>Standard-Examiner</i> v. Davis County Sheriff's Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to "investigative summaries, reports, recommendations and other documents, photos or related materials in the Dec. 21, 2016, incident at the Davis County Jail."			

2017-31	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access and a fee waiver denial to requested records.			
2017-33	Edward Berkovich v. Utah Attorney General's Office, Utah Prosecution Council	Hearing declined	
Appealing the Utah Prosecution Council's position that the audio recording of June 24, 2016, of a closed meeting does not exist.			
2017-34	Brad Rodu v. University of Utah	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to the "template questionnaires for the purpose of research." The university defined the templates as copyrightable works and do not fall under the definition of a "record" for the purposes of GRAMA.			
2017-35	David Larsen v. Heber City Police Department		Hearing scheduled September 14, 2017
Requesting policy changes from March 11, 2015-present and police officer OTR training certification.			
2017-37	Lance Rolph v. Department of Human Services, Office of Recovery Services		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing access denial to "ORIS Comments, Events, Narratives as well as any & all evidence" used during his court proceedings.			
2017-38	Jeffery Burt v. Sandy Police Department		Hearing rescheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to reports, initial statements, raw data, and interviews in the following case nos. 10E005869, 10E005891, 10E007625, and 10E007736.			
2017-39	Jessica Miller, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Unified Police Greater Salt Lake	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing access denial to "[a]ny police record regarding an investigation of Provo Police Chief John King and allegations of sexual misconduct."			
2017-41	Louis Malek v. University of Utah, Medical Center	Hearing declined	
Appealing access denial to billing documents. The notice of appeal was filed untimely to the executive secretary.			

2017-42	Pedro Gutierrez v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Bureau of Forensics	Incomplete	
Seeking and/or appealing the lack of information on Case No. 131908451, specifically DNA results.			
2017-44	Chad Bennion v. Utah Attorney General's Office		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing access denial to Attorney General Litigation Fund, for 2014, 2015, 2016, and 2017, and assertion that this is a duplicate GRAMA request.			
2017-45	Paul Waldron, on behalf of Daniel Chad Blackwelder v. Utah Department of Public Safety, Utah Highway Patrol		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing access denial to reports and supplemental reports in regards to UHP Case Number 15UT01927.			
2017-46a	Paul Amann v. Utah Department of Human Resource Management	Continuance	Hearing rescheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to "investigative reports and notes" and that he is the subject of the record.			
2017-47	Michael Clára, Crossroads Urban Center v. Salt Lake City Corporation	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing a denial response from the City for records pertaining to T-Mobile site plans of a Cell Tower installed in Popular Grove and Glendale Communities.			
2017-48	Adam Bass v. Wasatch County		Hearing rescheduled August 10, 2017
Seeking campaign financial disclosure statements for Wasatch County District Attorney Thomas Low (2002 and 2010) and Wasatch County District Attorney Derek P. Pullman (1998 and 2004).			
2017-49	Edgardo Mata v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing access denial to a copy of a sentence in O-track stating he has tattoos.			

2017-50	Anna Burleson, <i>Standard Examiner</i> v. Box Elder School District		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to “all applications and accompanying documents for the position of Box Elder School District superintendent in 2017.”			
2017-52	Lynn Bascom v. David County Attorney’s Office	Appeal withdrawn	
Appealing partial access denial to reports and statements collected for case no. 2013-200274.			
2017-53	Taylor Anderson, <i>Salt Lake Tribune</i> v. Utah Transit Authority (UTA)		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to “conflict or interest disclosures filed by UTA board members.”			
2017-54	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Corrections (UDC)		Hearing scheduled July 13, 2017
Appealing access denial to copies of receipts, invoices, purchase orders, work orders for new security cameras installed in the Oquirrhs housing unit.			
2017-55	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Department of Technology Services (DTS)	Hearing declined	
Appealing the following issues: did not receive the flash drive sent by the agency and inability to access the records on the website due to not having access to the internet.			
2017-56	Matt Winters v. West Jordan City Police Department		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to audio and body camera footage.			
2017-57	Mountain Crane, LLC v. Utah Transit Authority		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing partial access denial to video depicting an accident (Crane/pedestrian) on April 4, 2016.			
2017-58	Ozward Balfour v. Utah Department of Public Safety		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing fee waiver denial and release of remaining records that he is the subject of.			

2017-59	Proletariat Watch (Kelly James) v. Gunnison Valley Hospital Special Service District	Incomplete	
Appealing partial access denial to “CEO salary for the last three years and for invoices sent the SSD by the law firm Holland and Hart since October of last year.”			
2017-60	Richard Norman Stein v. Ogden City Police Department	Incomplete	
Appealing partial access denial to arrest records. The chief administrative officer did not provide a decision on the appeal; therefore an affirmed denial.			
2017-61	Patrick Sullivan v. Utah Attorney General’s Office		Hearing scheduled August 10, 2017
Appealing access denial to emails (subject of record) sent to/or received from multiple individuals.			